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SUBJECT: SPD IN KIEL DENIES REPORT IT PLANS DESTROY BONN COALITION

1. ACCORDING TO THE CURRENT ISSUE OF THE WEEKLY MAGAZINE SPIEGEL, THE SPD LEADERSHIP IN SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN MET IN SECRET ON APRIL 18 AT THE INVITATION OF STATE CHAIRMAN GUENTHER JANSEN AND HIS PREDECESSOR "RED" STEFFEN TO PLAN A "PUTSCH AGAINST BONN" IN THE EVENT THAT THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT PERSISTS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF FAST BREEDER NUCLEAR REACTORS. THE PUTSCH WOULD ALLEGEDLY TAKE THE FORM OF A VOTE BY SPD BUNDESTAG DEPUTIES FROM SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN AGAINST THE 1978 FEDERAL BUDGET, A MANEUVER WHICH WOULD LEAD TO THE DEFEAT OF THE BUDGET AND DESTROY SCHMIDT'S ABILITY TO GOVERN.

2. THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SPD IN THE LANDTAG IN KIEL, KLAUS MATTHIESEN, TOLD THE PRESS THAT A PLAN TO DESTROY THE
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SCHMIDT GOVERNMENT "IS NOT AND WILL NEVER BE AN ELEMENT IN THE STRATEGY OF THE SPD IN SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN."

THE SPD'S PARTY MANAGER IN SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN, ROLF SELZER, HAS CALLED THE REPORT "PURE NONSENSE" AND NORBERT GANSEL, SPD BUNDESTAG DEPUTY FROM SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN, HAS SAID THAT EVERYTHING IN THE REPORT IS FALSE EXCEPT THE FACT THAT THE BUDGET WAS DISCUSSED.

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